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No vote

by Tamara Collins

Wednesday night 98 Catholic residents were denied the right to vote on expanding into the Red Deer Catholic School District, because they were 6 Catholics short of a quorum.

After months of canvassing and preparation, a meeting was held at the 5-0 Club Wednesday night to allow Catholic residents to vote on the issue, 25% of the Catholics from Didsbury were required to attend the meeting to vote, that did not happen.

When 7 p.m. arrived, only 56 Catholic residents had showed up. These people were given one hour to round up 48 more Catholics, so a vote would take place. Just after 8 p.m. the room was filled with 98 Catholics, just under the 104 required.

"If people would like another chance to vote, a petition must be completed and sent to the Red Deer Catholic School District," said Vince Ackerman, Development coordinator. "The canvassing has already been completed, so that step can be skipped."



Smoke fills Didsbury skys

Monday afternoon, the greenhouses just south of Didsbury on Range Road 2, burned for hours while both the Didsbury and Carstairs Fire Departments fought to put it out. The cause of the fire is unknown at this time.

-photos by Tamara Collins

Drug bust lays 150 charges

by Carla Victor

A combined effort between Olds, Didsbury/Carstairs and Sundre RCMP with the Red Deer RCMP drug section has resulted in a major drug bust worth \$90,000 and 150 charges being laid against 43 Central Alberta residents.

The investigation, known as Project Kottage, led to the seizure of (approximately) 794 grams of cocaine and crack cocaine, 130 grams of methamphetamine, 958 grams of marijuana and 125 grams of

magic mushrooms, along with two handguns, one assault rifle, explosives, four vehicles and several bladed weapons.

RCMP in Three Hills and Lacombe police services were also involved in the bust.

Cpl. Rick Goldstein, Red Deer RCMP Drug Section, said all the weapons seized were from the Red Deer area. He would not say the amount or type of drugs seized in each municipality as more arrests are still expected.

Goldstein said involvement of local RCMP detachments was

crucial in this investigation.

"This was an intelligence driven investigation. We recognized early on that who would be better to gather intelligence than the local RCMP who live and police in those communities," said Goldstein.

Together, with the Red Deer drug section and city street teams, detachments in all the municipalities identified an intelligence officer who collected information and identified sources for information in each community.

"They provided that informa-

tion to us and we were able to successfully infiltrate under cover drug officers to purchase drugs from (local traffickers)."

Sundre RCMP Const. Bryce Long said one of the last search warrants executed during Project Kottage happened at a farmhouse just north of Sundre, Nov. 13.

At that location officers seized a quantity of marijuana (over 30 grams) and a rifle.

Two adults, a man and a woman, have been charged with possession for the purpose of trafficking.

RCMP in Olds and Didsbury are expecting to lay charges soon.

In another, unrelated matter, a male was charged with trafficking marijuana, Nov. 17, in Three Hills.

Upon arrest, the man had in his possession the street value of approximately \$3,000 worth of marijuana packaged and ready for distribution.

Christopher Lee Monasterski, 28, of Calgary, was charged with trafficking and possession for the purpose of trafficking.



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NEWS

IN THE COURTS

Drunk driver had 10 previous convictions**Drunk driver had 10 previous convictions**

A 50-year-old man has been convicted of his 11th drunk driving charge.

Larry Donald Leonard pleaded guilty on Nov. 15 to a charge of driving with a blood alcohol level greater than 80 mg per cent and breach of a court order.

Leonard was spotted by police as he drove in Olds on March 30, court heard.

Police were on the lookout for the man after a citizen phoned in a complaint.

The accused drove through a stop sign and cut off a pickup truck before being stopped. His blood alcohol level was 160 mg per cent.

Leonard has 10 previous drunk driving convictions.

The accused also admitted not paying restitution following an earlier unrelated fraud conviction.

Judge Maloney adjourned Leonard's sentencing until December.

Drunk driver had poor sense of direction

A 60-year-old man spotted by police as he drove down the wrong lane on Sundre's Main Ave. on Oct. 17 has been convicted of drunk driving.

Thomas Jerry Saunders pleaded guilty on Nov. 15 to a charge of driving with a blood alcohol level greater

than 80 mg per cent.

The accused was arrested at about 3 a.m. after a patrolling officer spotted him driving erratically, court heard.

His blood alcohol level was 150 per cent. It was his first ever criminal conviction.

Judge Maloney fined Saunders \$750 and prohibited him from driving for one year.

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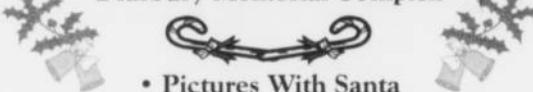
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Council Highlights - November 15

The Christmas Holiday Train will be stopping in Didsbury on December 15 at approximately 4:55 pm. Santa Claus will be there for the kids to visit and sign autographs. Donations to the Mountain View Food bank can be made at this time.

Bylaw 04-14 Disaster Services was passed.

The Town of Didsbury will be sending a letter to the Federal Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness Canada to inform of Council's approval for the Province to assume full responsibility for policing in the Town effective April 1, 2005.

Special Cst. Greg Hnatuk was appointed as Deputy Director of Disaster Services.

Council adopted the Resolution Sustaining Prosperity Together. A press release was sent to the Didsbury Review.

Meet the Taxpayer night will take place on November 29, 2004 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the Council Chambers. All Councillors and the Mayor will be in attendance to meet with the public.

Council approved to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with Mountain View Regional Disaster Services Agency and Central Alberta Search and Rescue Groups.

Gary Dolha was appointed to the FCSS Board. Council reaffirmed the appointments of Brad Misner, Phil Litke, Wendy Bauer, Anne Bauer and Ben Misner.

Administration was directed to cost out the installation of trees to block out the Condo's Association view of the Town shop yard.

Council approved the extension of the meter reading services agreement with ATCO Gas for the period of November 10, 2004 to November 10, 2005.

Council approved the offer of a \$2200 credit with Wild Rose Machining Ltd. for the 1964 Massey Ferguson Tractor (bro-

ken) and an old cardboard bailer.

Council approved the amendment to the mandate of the Centennial Planning Committee to read: *the Centennial Planning Committee support and incorporate the Centennial theme in community events when it is requested by community organizations, and the Committee be responsible for a Canada Day celebration and join with the Homecoming Committee to create a gala event on Homecoming weekend.*

Council approved the request of the Morris Meadows Developers to name the three cul-de-sacs from east to west in Morris Meadows as 100 Morris Place, 200 Morris Place and 300 Morris Place.

Council approved the request of the Valarosa Developers to grant the street name Valarosa Drive of Valarosa Crossing subdivision.

Council approved the appointment of Angela Archer, Steve Dodyk, and Anna Marie Day to the Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board.

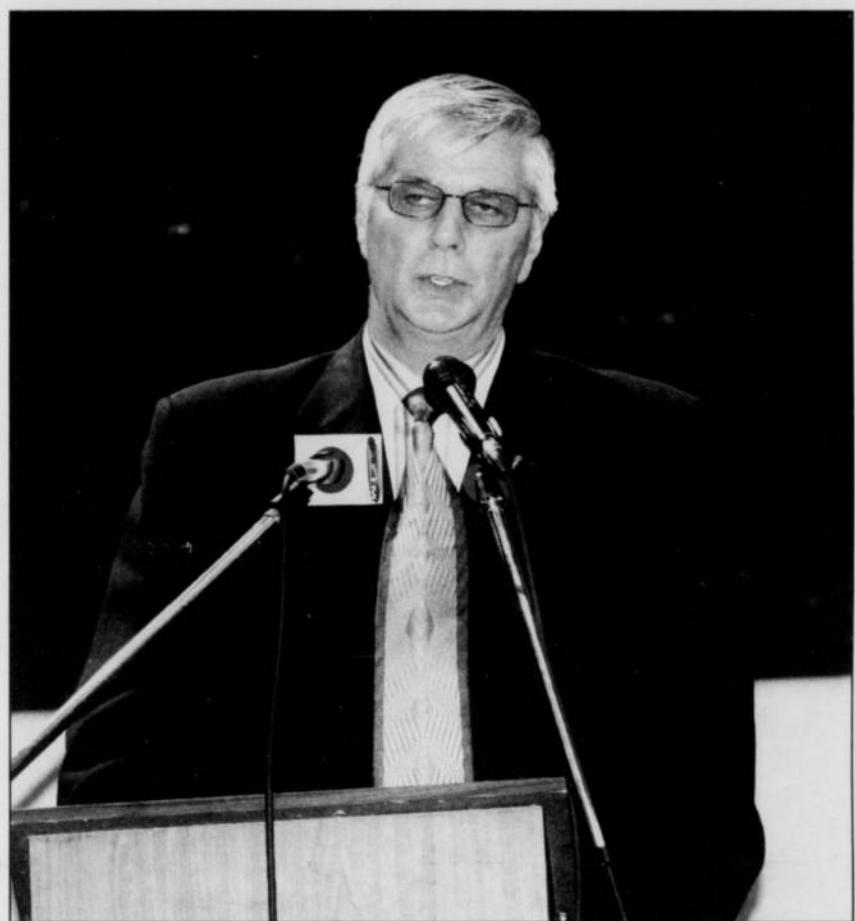
Council approved FCSS funding applications to Healthy Families Program; a theatre presentation for Ross Ford School and a speaker on drug awareness for the Didsbury High School.

Council approved the reimbursement request of the Lions Club for their insurance and utility payments towards the Train Station in 2001 and 2002 in the amount of \$4192.00.

Council approved the endorsement of a development fee of \$563.00 per lot for the access to the 10th Street water line for a maximum of 220 lots in Deer Coulee Ranch development.

Council approved the endorsement of a Development Agreement between 802978 AB Ltd. and that the Town of Didsbury endorse the Risk Management Plan with Alberta Environment as it was presented by EBA Engineering.

Marz takes another victory



Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills has welcomed Richard Marz of the PC Party back as a Member of Legislative Assembly (MLA). Marz had 56% of his riding's votes, over 4,400. For the full story see next week's issue of the Review.

Men admit attack on Carstairs woman

by Dan Singleton

Twin 48-year-old men who attacked a Carstairs woman in her home in March will be examined by a Calgary psychiatrist to determine if they were mentally responsible at the time of the offence.

Stuart Morley Bell and Kenneth Ross Bell each face a charge of aggravated assault. The Crown withdrew a charge of attempted murder.

The Bells appeared before Judge Frank Maloney in Didsbury provincial court Monday, at which time a statement of agreed facts was submitted to the judge by the Crown and defence.

The statement reads, in part: "As the accused were departing the residence, one accused went to one side of the victim and the other accused went to the other side of the victim, carried her upside down a short distance from the entry way to an area referred to as the 'den' and dropped her on her head. Both

accused then departed the residence."

The victim suffered a compression fracture in her back as well as a muscle injury to her neck. She was hospitalized following the incident.

The Bell brothers, who are out on bail, have been ordered to be examined by a psychiatrist at Calgary's Peter Lougheed Hospital.

Following court, Crown prosecutor George Combe said, "Basically in a nutshell what we are doing is we are having the psychiatrist prepare a report and then testifying in court to determine whether Stuart Bell and Kenneth Bell were mentally responsible for the offence at the time of its commission".

"If the psychiatrist says that they are fit, then we will have pleas entered and they will be sentenced. If they are not, there will also be a disposition."

If convicted of aggravated assault the men face a maximum sentence of 14 years imprisonment.

Victim Alyce Francis said she continues to suffer the ill effects of the attack.

"I'm still in pain and I'm still unable to do things that I should be able to do," Francis said from her home Monday. "I guess this is one of those things in life when you just have to square your shoulders and make the best of it. I have great support from friends and neighbours that has carried me along."

She said she has no idea why the men would have wanted to harm her.

Following court, defence lawyer Stephen Wojick, who represents Kenneth Bell, declined to comment on the case. Timothy Foster, counsel for Stuart Bell, was not immediately available for comment.

The Bell brothers - Kenneth is from Rolling Hills, Alberta, and Stuart is from Carstairs - left the courthouse through a side door before they could be asked for comment.

The men will be back in court on Dec. 14.

OPINIONS EDITORIAL

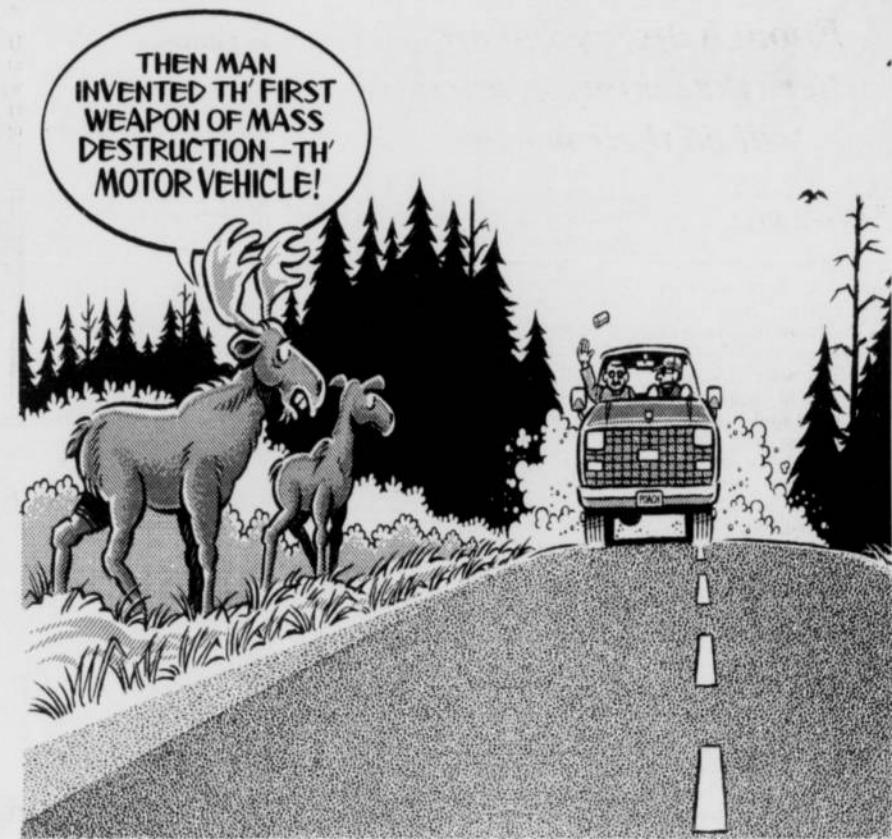
Catholic Vote



TAMARA COLLINS
EDITORIAL

Wednesday night the vote on the Catholic School District expansion into Didsbury was suppose to take place. It did not. It was required that 25% of the eligible Catholics in Didsbury show up, and at 7 p.m. there was only 56! The Catholics had one hour to round up 48 more Catholics. When it all ended, there was 98.

Every minute that went by, the tension built, every person that walked in, a little tension was relieved. I have not decided yet, if I think it was just something not wanted by enough people, or if it wast just on a bad night. Whatever the reason, as of right now Didsbury will not be part of the Catholic School District. For those Catholics who did come out and waited, and those who called their friends, and who went to pick people up, good for you. As for those who did not show up and did not have a reason, you have to remember every vote counts, even yours!



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Ponderings of the heart

by Margaret Fradley

"Helpfulness"

There is a story told of an old man who's custom it was, to carry with him, at all times, a can of oil, wherever he went. If he happened to pass a squeaky gate, or a door that needed oiling, he paused and applied oil to the hinges. His regular practice made it, not only easier, for those who followed, but was a unique gesture of bringing helpfulness to others.

Every day we meet those who perhaps, like those squeaky doors and gates, need the healing balm of oil upon their lives. We can take the opportunity to lubricate their lives with the oil of the spirit. Many people these days carry heavy burdens, and needs, and long for the oil of a sympathetic word, a phone call, a visit, an encouraging word. Are we prepared to pour out the oil of helpfulness to those around us who's needs are great? It can be done in very simple, unassuming ways. Perhaps the old man with the oil can, can teach us a lot. Let us attempt to be more sensitive to those around us that need that touch upon their lives that we can offer.



MYRON THOMPSON COLUMN

Liberals Credibility Problem Continues

Myron Thompson, Member of Parliament for Wild Rose says the Fiscal and Economic Update by Finance Minister Ralph Goodale proves once again that the Liberals have a credibility problem when it comes to telling Canadians the truth about government numbers.

As announced yesterday, the Finance Minister projected a budgetary surplus of \$8.9 billion for 2004-2005, and a six year budgetary surplus of \$61 billion. "It is clear that the Finance Minister has dra-

matically raised his surplus prediction since the March budget. Yesterday's surplus numbers should not come as much of a surprise. The Liberals have been deliberately and systematically hiding behind false numbers to suit their political priorities," said Thompson.

"What the Liberals fail to recognize is that this surplus occurs from overtaxing hardworking Canadians. Canadians deserve a say in how this money should be allocated, whether it be tax cuts, debt reduction and/or targeted spending," stated Thompson.

Thompson.

"It's absolutely appalling that this Prime Minister thinks he knows how to spend money better than hardworking Canadians. During the election campaign, he falsely claimed that razor-thin surpluses would limit the amount of tax relief we could afford. We now know that there was plenty of fiscal room to provide tax relief to Canadian families, while at the same time addressing important national priorities like health care, BSE, and national defence," concluded Thompson.

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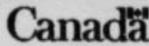


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FROM THE MAILBAG

Enough discussion on where the county council will do their work

Dear Editor:

I, like many residents of the County of Mountain View, have heard enough in regards to the County building issue. There is a variety of opinions on the issue and a degree of merit to them all. At the end of the decision process one can only hope that all the options have had the appropriate attention and the best one chosen. Making these choices is not often easy.

Having been involved with boards and committees for many years and the privilege, as the lone Albertan, on a National board of 12 for the past 5 years, I have

had experience in board training and board member conduct. When a board or council leaves a boardroom it must leave with one voice, the politicizing, and debate is over and a decision has been reached. This is the responsibility of the councillors and council as a group. Any individuals, who can not perform this way due to disagreement or issue with a decision, must step-down.

There has been enough discussion on where the county council will do their work and not enough on the work to be done.

**John Iverson
County Resident**

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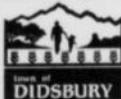
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Town of Didsbury Family and Community Support Services 2005 Programs

The Town of Didsbury FCSS Advisory Board is now accepting funding applications for 2005 Family and Community Support Services programs. Organizations currently receiving funding will be receiving an application form in the mail in the upcoming weeks. Other organizations may pick up a funding application and eligibility criteria information from the Town Office.

Applications must be received by December 31st, 2004.

For more information please contact Michelle Honeyman, FCSS Coordinator.
Phone: 335-3391
Fax: 335-9794
Email: mhoneyman@didsbury.ca

Buy Nothing Day

Dear Editor:

On the last Friday of November, every year the public is invited to take a simple challenge. For the one day of the year, everyone is invited to not buy anything. The idea behind it is that we live in an overly consumerist society and reducing consumption might actually do something good for humanity and the planet. Of course, Buy Nothing activists have expanded on the theme to include the value of buying locally, of buying organically, or buying responsibly when we do buy things we need.

Challenging people's consumption habits is a difficult task. But why are we so defensive? Why is it so hard for the richest people on the Earth to spend the extra it takes to buy responsibly...not just what is the cheapest? What is at risk? What is to be gained? For me, Buy Nothing Day, is purely symbolic, yet symbolic matters. For me, looking at my consumption has become an exercise in appreciating what I already have.

It's an opportunity to look at what I'd rather be doing with the time I currently spend earning money. It's an opportunity to look at what I really value and to attempt

to walk my talk. What are you doing on **Buy Nothing Day?**

Sarah Henckel-Sutmoller

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TOWN COUNCIL:

Tuesday, December 7, 2004 - Council Chambers, Town Office

MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION:

December 1, 2004 - Council Chambers, Town Office

LIFELINE MEETING:

December 13, 2004 - Town Office Meeting Room

NEWS

Courts *continued from page 2*

Man had pot

A 46-year-old man caught with marijuana for the third time has been fined.

Kevin James Streit pleaded guilty Nov. 15 to a charge of possession of a controlled substance.

Police spotted the accused in his car in Bowden on Oct. 5 at about 11 p.m., court heard.

When the officer became suspicious, he followed the accused before pulling him over about six kilometres from the original location.

The accused had a small amount of marijuana on his person. He was convicted of possession in 1984 and 1985, court heard.

Judge Maloney fined him \$150.

Youth had crack cocaine

A Calgary youth caught with 20 packages of cocaine in an Olds hotel in April has been ordered to complete community service hours.

The accused, who cannot be named, pleaded guilty Nov. 15 to a charge of simple possession of a narcotic. The Crown withdrew a charge of possession for the purpose of trafficking.

At about 2 a.m. on April 13 a young person was spotted trying to open room doors at the Sportsman Inn Motel, 5610 - 46 Street in Olds, court heard.

When police were called, the youth was apprehended and lead officers to a room in the motel. The accused was found in that room along with the about 12 grams of cocaine.

On Nov. 10 the accused was convicted of possession of a weapon after police found him in possession of pepper spray, brass knuckles and body armour during a routine traffic stop some time before the Apr. 13 incident, court heard.

For that offence he received six months probation and was ordered to complete 25 hours of community service.

On the drug charge, Judge Maloney handed the accused an addition sentence of nine months probation, to be served concurrently. He also ordered the boy to complete 75 more hours of community service.

Drunk driver crashed into parked vehicles

A 20-year-old man who drove into two parked vehicles during a party near Caroline has been convicted of drunk driving.

Justin Clayton Vollman pleaded guilty Nov. 17 to a charge of driving with a blood alcohol level greater than 80 mg per cent.

The accused missed a corner and ran into the vehicles on Oct. 7, court heard. There were no injuries in the incident.

His blood alcohol level at the time was 150 mg per cent.

The judge fined him \$920 and prohibited him from driving for one year.

Man lied to police

A 31-year-old man who gave police a false name when he was picked up on suspicion of prowling has been jailed.

Jason Darryl Cotter pleaded guilty on Nov. 17 to charges of impersonation with intent, possession of break and enter tools,

and failing to comply with a court order.

The accused was arrested on Nov. 1 when a patrolling RCMP officer noticed him apparently trying to break into a car in Didsbury, court heard.

A search of the man's vehicle uncovered a pry bar, steel shears and other tools.

At the time of his arrest he gave police a false name.

Cotter was under a court ordered curfew at the time of the early morning incident.

The judge sentenced him to three months in jail on each of the charges, which are to run concurrently.

Man faces numerous sex charges

A man facing four sex charges, including sexual assault with a weapon, will undergo a preliminary hearing next spring.

The accused, who is in custody on separate charges, has elected to be tried by Judge and jury in Queen's Bench. He made a brief appearance in Didsbury Provincial Court on Nov. 17.

The alleged offences all took place in the Sundre RCMP detachment area.

The accused goes to preliminary hearing on May 9 in Didsbury.



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Safety

On Thursday, principals and vice principals from Chinook's Edge School Division came together to learn and discuss the new safety manual. Part of this day included working with the local media to prepare for crisis situations.

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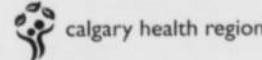
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Neighborhood

Centennial celebrations cancelled

by Tamara Collins

The monthly Centennial celebrations have been cancelled after the Centennial Planning Committee dwindled down to six members.

These six members found it hard to manage all the work of planning one event per month, so they wrote a letter to Town Council asking to be relieved of their monthly duty.

"It is a simple matter of logistics," said Centennial Committee chair, Deb Whitmore. "We have six volunteers or less, depending, and that is a lot of work each month."

On Monday night, Council passed the motion, amending the mandate of the Committee to read, the Centennial Planning Committee support and incorporate the Centennial theme in community events when it is requested by community organizations, and the Committee be responsible for a Canada Day celebration and join the Homecoming Committee to create a gala event on Homecoming weekend.

"Instead of doing a lot of smaller celebrations okay, we can do a few really well," said Whitmore.

The Centennial Committee will be putting out boxes at local businesses to collect food and gifts, which they will then donate to the Christmas Hampers.

"We are also here to support other businesses that want to do something with a Centennial theme," said Whitmore. "They just need to call us, and we are here for support and assistance. What we do, we wanna do well."

Resident wants separation from Town Shop



photo by Tamara Collins

Local resident, Joy Long is requesting that the Town put in trees behind this fence, to block the view of the Town Shop.

by Tamara Collins

At last week's Town Council meeting, Council received a letter from Joy Long, a local resident who lives near the Town Shop, expressing her dissatisfaction with Shop's current condition.

Long is upset because she says the Shop's lights shine brightly on the condos she manages, all night.

"These lights shine so brightly right into people's windows," said Long, manager of Didsbury Manor Apartments. "It is hard to

sleep."

Long first contacted mayor Dorothy Moore last year, and suggested to her that the trees that were being taken out of the new Morris Meadow sub-division, be used to separate the condos better from the Town Shop. Nothing ever came of the idea, and Long is still not happy.

"We want to be good neighbors, and we would hope they would want that too," said Long. "We just want a barrier between them and us, and we think trees is the best solution.

There is always so much noise and garbage."

In an effort to assist the Town, Long said they even offered to put the trees in, if the Town would supply them.

Chris McKenna, director of Operations, obtained a light meter and went out one night at midnight to test the amount of light at the condos. McKenna's results determined that the parking lot between the Shop and the condos did not exceed two-foot candles of light. McKenna took five other readings around town and

discovered, on an average houses had five foot candles of light.

At the Council meeting, Council decided to look further in to the cost of trees and then contact Long.

"We do not expect them to do it all," said Long. "But we pay over \$2400 in taxes here a year, and we are just asking for some trees. We are really trying to make our condos a nice place to live. It used to be a lot different, we have already done a lot to clean this place up. Trees will only make our town nicer."



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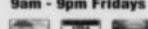
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AROUND THE CIRCLE

Crossing guards still needed

by Marge St. Clair

Carla Ridley, Crossing Guard co-ordinator would be happy to have more volunteers to help at the schools in the mornings and afternoons. Please phone Carla at 335-4328 for all the details.

Fri. Nov. 26

Downtown Didsbury will be the place to be tonight as it is Old Tyme Country Christmas and Midnight Madness.

The Scouting Groups will be serving Beef on a Bun and the all time favorite Cotton Candy at the Train Station; there will be wagon rides and Christmas Carolers, Burning Barrels to warm up around, a mini fair in the Elks Hall and bargains galore in the stores where you can also enter your name to win a Turkey.

Santa will be at the Train Station and you can have your picture taken with him.

Sat. Nov. 27

From 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. the Didsbury Scouts Christmas Gift & Craft Sale will be on in the MP Room at the Didsbury Complex. Pictures with Santa from 10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

& 1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Lunch is available. Admission is a donation for Food Hampers.

Sat. Nov. 27

At 2:00 p.m., a "Hair Shaving for Cancer" will be held at Glimmer Auto. Members of Carstairs Ford staff and 2 Didsbury locals are participating in this, come and cheer them on, have hot dogs and coffee and view some hot rod cars.

Where is Glimmer Auto you ask? Well you go South on Hwy 2A to the top of the hill, turn left on a gravel road right opposite Parkland and drive right up to the Shop.

Sat. Nov. 27

Come to the Elks Hall to play in the Open Mixed Darts from 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. in the Main Hall. More info by contracting Al at 335-3159 (ask for room 25).

Tues. Nov. 30

Come and play Bingo at the Elks Hall, doors open at 6:00 p.m. The Bingos are non-smoking. Everyone welcome.

Wed. Dec. 1

"Story time" for children 4 and 5 years of age has started

again at the Didsbury Library. A Library Card would make a great Christmas gift. You can also check out the Travel videos to rent for 1 week on your Library Card.

Thurs. Dec. 2

This is the day of celebrating December birthdays for all Seniors at Eldon Foote Hall from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. Birthday cake, music and a good time for all.

Thurs. Dec. 2

The Hospital Volunteers will meet in the Assembly Room at 2:00 p.m. New members always welcome.

Fri. Dec. 3

The Didsbury Hospital Auxiliary are having the Annual Christmas Tea and Bake Sale from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. in Unit #3. The Nutman will be in attendance and tables of Christmas gifts. Everyone welcome.

Fri. Dec. 3

Cribbage play will start at 7 p.m. at the 5-0 Club. You will enjoy the evening of cards, coffee & goodies, meeting new people and visiting.

Sat. Dec. 4

The Carstairs I.O.D.E. will welcome you to the Thrift Shop today from 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. for the Annual Christmas Sale. There will be baked goods and gifts available also. Any questions will be answered by Marie Cardinal 337-2854.

Sat. Dec. 4

Tonight Theatre Didsbury will be on stage at the Elks Hall. Tickets are available at Mountain View Sports.

Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Dinner is at 6:30 p.m., and the comedy "Touch and Go" starts at 8 p.m. Seating is limited, so don't delay in getting your ticket.

However, if you do miss out, there will be a second Dinner Theatre on Sat. Dec. 11th.

Sun. Dec. 5

Everyone is welcome to an evening of beautiful music when the Mountain View Choristers present "To You - Sounds of Christmas" at St. Anthony's Catholic Church at 7 p.m.

Traditional Carols and Christmas Songs, and a SING-ALONG. Lunch and refreshments.

Food bank donations will

be gladly accepted.

Mon. Dec. 6

The Alzheimer's Support Group meet today from 12 noon - 1 p.m. in the Board Room at the Olds Hospital. More info from Wendy at 335-2393.

Flu Clinics by appointment, are being held at the Didsbury Health Care Centre from 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. on Thurs. Dec. 2, 9th, 16th & 23rd. Phone 335-7292 for more info.

Tues. Dec. 7

The Mountain View Christian Women's Breakfast will be held in the Redeemer Lutheran Church Gym from 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. "Christmas or Xmas".

Special Feature - Florence Abiola.

Special Music - Sandra & Carolyn. Special Speaker - Sandra Stephans, Sherwood Park.

Reservations by phoning Deb at 337-2487 or Margie 335-3765.

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by Tamara Collins

Support the breakfast program and get a tree

The Westglen breakfast program started almost a year ago, and staff have seen big improvements in the children. On Nov. 26th, during the Didsbury Country Christmas you have the chance to support the program by buying a Christmas tree.

"We saw a need within our school," said Donna Aarsby, program coordinator. "We wanted to see how it changed the children's attitudes and grades, and we also wanted to teach the students about volunteering and giving back to the community."

A group of grade 8 students presently volunteer to help with the program.

"It is a terrific program," said Phil Corning, Westglen principle. "We started it because some kids were challenged by the school rules. This gave them a responsibility to help others."

Aside from responsibility, this program teaches manners, and how to care for others.

"This shows the kids that as a community we take care of one another," said Corning. "The kids are always looking out for each other now, it is really neat to watch." Stewart and Debra Bryson have graciously donated 20 Christmas trees to the school, to sell and raise money for the breakfast program.

This is the second year the Brysons have donated trees to raise money for the program, the couple did the same thing last year. Unfortunately it was too late for them last year to get involved in Country Christmas, so they are very excited for this year.

The trees will be bought through a silent auction. They will be located in the Dollar Store parking lot from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Nov. 26th.

The grade eight boys who help with the program will be volunteering their time that night," said Aarsby. "As well Kim Curr, Mrs. Bryson and I will be there." Since the program started Aarsby says attitudes have improved, grades have improved and less discipline is necessary.

The program runs every morning from 8:20 a.m. till 8:35 a.m. Thanks to other generous donations from the Knox United Thrift Store, the FCSS, and a grant from Canadian Living Breakfast For Learning Program, the school purchased a 350 slice toaster.

"Today we served 100 bagels," said Corning. "On cold mornings we serve hot chocolate. This program helps because some kids have no food at home, and some arrive at school after a forty minute bus ride and they are hungry. Kids are hungry all

the time, at least my kids at home are."

A student's perspective... Breakfast Club is something that you do just because, not because your expecting something, but just for the feeling you get inside. Realizing that you have done some good.

Not every school has a breakfast club. Not every school cares that kids are well and healthy so if we are willing to take, we should be willing to give.

But when I say give, I don't mean give something, just let the school hear a little thank you, and give a little help.

Delico M.

Country Christmas coming to town

Join the local businesses, community groups, and everyone else for a good old Country Christmas on Nov. 26th.

For some businesses Country Christmas runs all day, for others the sales start at 6 p.m.

Aside from sales, many businesses will be having a draw to win a turkey.

For the kids, Santa will be waiting at the train station to have his picture taken with

them. There will also be hayrides from Victoria Square Mall, burning barrels around town, Santa will also make his way down to AG Foods.

A mini trade show will take place at the Elks Hall, carolers will travel around the town singing, and the Scouts will be selling Beef on a Bun.

"We want everyone to have a old fashioned Country Christmas," said Penny Lind, Chamber president.

"It should be a fun night for merchants and everyone. It is a fun, festive atmosphere and everyone gets really involved."

All the local businesses have been busy decorating their buildings and windows, and town crews have put up wreaths on the street lights.

"Everyone should come and participate," said Lind.

"It is a lot of fun, a real family event."

The Chamber would also like to remind you that Dec. 14th they will be going around town judging for the annual Christmas Lights Contest.

They ask that you please keep your lights on that night, and if you live in the rural areas you must call the Chamber to arrange for your house to be judged in advance.

Ready, set, decorate!



Penny Lind

CPR brings Christmas train to town

Canadian Pacific Rail (CPR) will be sending another special treat to Didsbury in celebration of the Christmas season.

The CPR Christmas Train will be stopping in town on Dec. 15th, and will host a performance from 4:55 p.m. till 5:25 p.m. This performance will feature Santa, and he will sign autographs following the show.

"It is going to stop in Olds

first, then stop here in Didsbury," said Greg Hnatiuk, community constable. "This is not the first time the Christmas Train will stop in Didsbury, it also came here two or three years ago."

Normally the Christmas Train is used in conjunction with food bank donations, so please bring out a nonperishable food item.

"The Mountain View Foodbank will have one or two trucks there to collect food," said Hnatiuk. "Hopefully we can fill those trucks."

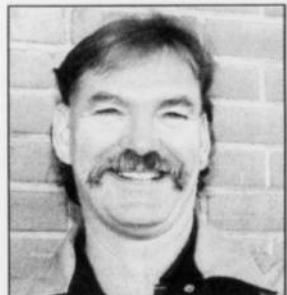
In order to accommodate the visit, Town Council has passed a motion to close 19th St. between 20th Ave. and 15th Ave. from 3 p.m. until further notice from Cst. Hnatiuk.

Before the train arrives,

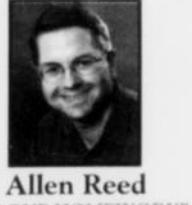
Hnatiuk is hoping to arrange something with the Didsbury High School for entertainment.

This event is a further indication of the deepening friendship between CP Rail and the Town of Didsbury.

"Everyone is encouraged to come out and enjoy," said Hnatiuk. "It is going to be a good time."



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The most common types of injury resulting from falls include fractures, sprains and strains. The good news is that many of the injuries can be prevented by paying more attention to the potential hazards in your environment, your physical limitations and level of fitness, changes in your medical condition and the effects of the medications you are taking.

You can reduce your chances of falling by doing these things: Make your home safer.

About half of all falls happen at home. To make your home safer:

- Use rugs with non-skid backing.
- Install handrails in the bathtub and toilet areas.
- Use a rubber mat or non-skid strips in the tub and shower.
- Leave bathroom door unlocked in case you do have a fall and someone needs to help you.
- Avoid climbing to reach high shelves. Keep items you use often in cabinets you can reach easily without using a step stool.
- Clean up spills as soon as they happen.
- Remove things you can trip over (such as papers, books, clothes, and shoes) from stairs and places

where you walk.

- Improve the lighting in your home. As you get older, you need brighter lights to see well. Have your health care provider review your medicines.

Be aware that medications can sometimes cause dizziness or other side effects. Read instructions and warnings carefully. Consult your doctor or pharmacist about the possible side effects of the prescription or off-the-counter medications you take.

Have your vision checked.

Have regular eye examinations. You may be wearing the wrong glasses or have a condition such as glaucoma or cataracts that limits your vision. Poor vision can increase your chances of falling.

Get Active

Given that our daily routines become less physically demanding as we age, we can experience reduced physical fitness, increasing the risk of falls. Maintaining or regaining physical fitness is the most effective falls prevention measure of all. Many forms of physical activity including walking, gardening, and dancing, can help maintain the strength and vitality that will protect us from injury. Make sure that your activities are appropriate to your abilities. Be aware of your limitations and always ask for assistance if you think you might need it.

Outside:

- Be sure to wear shoes or boots with good treads and rubber soles.
- If you use a walking cane,

ensure there is an ice tip on it.

- Ensure that your sidewalk is cleared of snow and ice.
- Ensure that you pay particular attention in uneven walkways and on stairs.
- Bathroom:
- General Safety:
- Have regular eye examinations.
- Avoid standing on chairs and ladders.
- Walk and exercise (to your level) regularly to stay active and healthy.

• Be extra cautious when you are ill or tired. This is when falls most often occur.

- Ensure that indoor and outdoor stairwells are well lit.
- Install sturdy handrails on stairways.
- Keep regular pathways clear of clutter on floors and stairs. Keep a night light on in the bathroom and bedroom.

Reduce the potential hazards in your environment:

- Keep your home well lit.
- Eliminate clutter.
- Make sure your pathways are clear and that you have enough space to move easily between furniture.
- If you need to use a step stool to reach something, make sure that it is firmly planted and that there is something to hold onto with your hand(s) while stepping up and down. If you are unsure, wait for someone to assist you.
- Try to keep items you need often on easily accessible shelves or

in drawers that don't require stooping or climbing.

- Wear slippers that are not slippery. You may also want to avoid slippers that seem to stick or catch on carpets or floors.
- Use hand railing when going up or down stairs.
- Remove throw rugs or use non-slip mats under them.
- Use non-slip mats on all floors, particularly by your bath, shower, entrances, laundry and kitchen sink areas.

• Have grab-bars installed in your bath tub or shower stall, by someone who is trained in proper installation.

- Use special caution when walking outdoors on wet, icy or uneven pavement. Wear a supportive rubber soled or low heeled shoe or boot and use a walking aid for support if needed.
- Keep the stairs and pathways outside your home well lit, cleared of snow and ice and in good repair. Use salt, sand or gravel on icy walkways.

Respect your physical limitations and level of fitness: Be aware of how changes in your medical condition may affect you. The risk of falling is greater for people who are experiencing health problems that cause symptoms such as dizziness, loss of balance, sudden weakness, confusion or loss of coordination. For example, a person with an irregular heart beat may be prone to episodes of dizziness or sudden weakness. In order to prevent falls in this instance, it's important to

report these symptoms and to work with your doctor to stabilize your medical condition.

If your medical condition has been stabilized as much as possible, but the symptoms still occur, it's important to watch for patterns in when the symptoms occur so you can prevent or be prepared for them.

Consider the following suggestions:

- Meet with your doctor on a regular basis to have your health assessed and to report any recent changes.
- Make sure that your activities are appropriate to your abilities.
- Always ask for assistance if you think you might need it.
- Use a walker, cane or wheelchair as required.
- Have your vision and hearing tested.
- Wear glasses or hearing aids as required.
- Use caution and move slowly when getting up after eating, lying down or resting.
- Keep physically active to maintain your strength and flexibility.
- Explore ways to avoid falling with your public health or homecare nurse, therapist or doctor.
- Before purchasing any new prescription or nonprescription medications, ask your doctor or pharmacist how this medication may affect your balance and coordination.
- Ask if the medications you are taking will interact with any new medication.



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Didsbury Municipal Library News - November 2004

There's something for everyone at your library (Even Christmas Shopping!)

Did you know that you can borrow magazines from the library? One of our new additions is Bicycling - get the info, get the gear, get the stories - from mountain biking to racing to touring. Another newcomer to our shelves is *Mothering: the Magazine of Natural Family Living* in which you will find articles on childbirth, child-rearing, nutrition and imagination. This month's issue has a review of classic toys. And there are 52 other publications to choose from as well as several newspapers, including the *Guardian Weekly* out of Europe.

We have prize winners, too. The Governor General's Nominees have been announced

and you can find several of them on our shelves. The winners will be announced on November 15th and 16th. We also have several of the Giller Prize nominees; the winner was announced November 11th. Should you wish to read any of these or other books and they are not on our shelves, they can be requested from our partner libraries. Requests can be made by library staff or you can do them yourself on-line from home or in the library.

Our staff will be happy to show you how. Storytime starts again November 17 at 10:30 am - bring your 4 and 5 year olds to enjoy rhymes and stories and crafts with our own Susan Milburn. This session concludes December 22.

Didsbury Municipal Library is branching

out into graphic fiction. We have had *The Hobbit* in graphic form for awhile now, but our newest in this genre is *In the Shadow of No Towers*. From a review of the book in www.chapters/indigo.ca: "What Art Spiegelman saw in his lower Manhattan backyard on 9/ 11 was just the beginning of the horror for him...For Spiegelman, only one thing made sense-passionate dissent, and done in the best way he knew how: through comics!... This amazing book is the result.

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We have also just acquired Spiegelman's classic *The Complete*

Maus; "a graphic novel that depicts his father's struggles in Hitler's Europe, and which earned Spiegelman a Pulitzer Prize."

Libraries are for everyone. Membership fees are affordable and our libraries are open to everyone in the County of Mountain View.

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Gene Zwozdesky, Minister for Community Development has announced a library limerick contest.

Participants complete a limerick about libraries and submit it either by mail or online and the winners see \$750, \$500 and \$250 cash prizes donated to the library of their choice. Check it out at http://www.cd.gov.ca/building_communities/public_library/contest/index.asp

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Greencover Canada program accepting applications

Landowners planning to convert environmentally sensitive crop land to perennial cover in 2005 can now apply for assistance under the Greencover Canada program. The program will help successful applicants improve grassland management practices, protect water quality, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and enhance biodiversity and wildlife habitat. Greencover will contribute to making Canada the world leader in environmentally responsible agricultural production.

Eligibility

Land size: The minimum accepted size for each application is 40 acres.

Applicants must also:

- be the registered landowners;
- seed land that is severely degraded or has limitations for growing annual crops;
- agree to seed their land with approved perennial plants;
- apply to convert land classified as Canada Land Inventory (CLI) 4, 5, 6, or 7;
- apply to convert land that has been in annual crop production since July 2002; and
- enter into a 10-year land-use agreement.

Payments

Eligible applicants can receive:

- \$45 per acre to seed or plant tame forage or trees; or
- \$100 per acre to seed native forage species.

Deadline

The 2005 application deadline is January 31, 2005.

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Voting Young

by Ryan Hunter, Andrew Cobban and Jesse Wozny
(Westglen students)

On November 19, the students at Westglen School experienced a morning of political decisions as they cast their vote in the provincial election. Students described their ex-



perience as "cool" and were excited to cast their vote. We interviewed many students such as Cole Whittleton who was Chief Electoral officer.

"It is a great experience to learn about government in grade six. It helps you to learn about what your doing."

We also interviewed a grade eight student who gave us her thoughts.

"I think it's neat that we get to find out how to vote and seeing who has the best ideas".

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38,000-39,500	Prime industrial lots, great exposure, located in Didsbury
35,000	(sold) Each lot zoned I. Industrial, storage trailers included, in Carstairs
35,900	Each lot zoned R-2, lots 47x140' in Didsbury
36,500	Great location, close to new school, 47x120' lot
45,000	(sold) 1.83 bare acreage, older drilled well, gas on property, near Torrington
48,500	4/10 of an acre in town. Beautifully treed and gently sloping
54,900	Large vacant lot, zoned R-3 for mobile in Carstairs
69,900	Great revenue home, lots of upgrades, in quiet area of Didsbury
74,900	Property zoned R-2, includes 2 small homes, great revenue property in Didsbury
84,900	Mobile home on its own lot, fenced yard, deck and garage, in Didsbury
109,000	3+1 bedroom bungalow, front drive cement pad, fenced, near park in Didsbury
124,900	Charm and character, 3 bedrooms, garage, lots of upgrades, in Didsbury
125,000	Nice quiet residential area, close to amenities, in Didsbury
129,500	Lovely condo overlooking the Didsbury Golf Club
129,900	3 bedroom bungalow, mature trees, garage, cosy home, in Didsbury
131,900	New custom built home, 2 bedrooms, garage, lots of upgrades, in Didsbury
132,500	Very clean and tidy, 1008sf, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, Didsbury
148,900	3+1 bedroom bungalow, developed basement, close to schools, in Didsbury
149,900	3+1 bedroom, fireplace, extensive renovations, garage, in beautiful Westhill
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All stakes at the table

Commercial cattle rancher Delano Tolley has seen some big changes in the Cold Lake area since he bought his Cherry Grove quarter section here almost 30 years ago. The growing number of families and industry has brought prosperity, but along with it increased demands on shared resources like water.

So last year Tolley joined LICA and became a member of its Regional Water Monitoring Committee. "I'm concerned about ground water for my livestock and personal use," he says.

LICA stands for Lakeland Industry and Community Association and is what's known as a synergy group. Synergy groups are typically multi-stakeholder collaborations made up of industry, community and regulators who come together to address concerns like Tolley's. "I thought it would be valuable to help, and learn all about agricultural water levels, industrial usage and volumes and what we can do about water levels," he says.

The group got its start in 2000 when the Cold Lake Beaver River Basin was facing a massive update of a 1985 water management plan. Oil and gas producers active in the area hosted an open house and offered to develop a process that would include them all. Over 200 people showed up, and within ten months LICA opened its new office.

"LICA works, it's good to have everyone sit down at the same table. It's important to us that sustainable development is done in a responsible manner so that the environment is not compromised," says LICA Chairman and long-time Cold Lake resident Ron Pernarowski.

There are now over 60 synergy groups throughout Alberta. You can learn more at www.synergialberta.ca.



Cold Lake rancher Delano Tolley

The cows didn't even notice

Cows continued to graze the Margaret Lakes area of southern Alberta while Shell Canada Limited completed their seismic survey this year.

Shell faced a challenge when they proposed to complete the second phase of their two-year seismic survey which included the privately-owned Margaret Lakes area. Cattle share this densely vegetated space with deer, moose and elk as well as large ground-nesting birds such as herons. There had to be a way to minimize disturbance.

Seismic is a first step in oil and gas exploration. Equipment sends out sound waves that bounce off underground rock formations to help reveal locations of oil and natural gas deposits. To reduce surface disturbances, helicopters are normally used to place the seismic equipment. But helicopter noise would have been too troublesome to the wildlife in the area.

Alberta Sustainable Resource Development (ASRD), the agency responsible for approving seismic surveys in the province, and Shell had an alternate solution. Impact would be minimized by creating short segments of seismic lines using quieter machines called mulchers that mulch dense underbrush while leaving root systems intact.

"At first it seemed counter-intuitive," says Rob Symonds, Vice President of Shell's Foothills business unit. "But these small segments open up the dense, bushy vegetation to create access for large wildlife and encourage the growth of forage for these animals. Over the long term it is expected to enhance habitat for larger wildlife." Nesting conditions for the larger birds are also enhanced.

ASRD appreciates this kind of industry approach. John Begg, Acting Head of the Petroleum Land Use and Reclamation Section at ASRD says "Shell's efforts in the Waterton Lakes area are an example of how the footprint from seismic operations can be reduced, even dramatically so, through planning, the use of appropriate equipment and a conscious effort to minimize impacts."



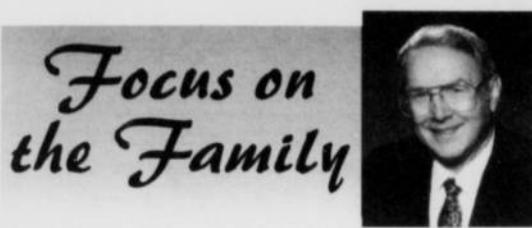
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QUESTION: My little girl, Tara, is sometimes sugar-sweet and other times she is unbearably irritating. How can I get her out of a bad mood when she has not really done anything to deserve punishment?

DR. DOBSON: I would suggest that you take her in your arms and talk to her in this manner:

"I don't know whether you've noticed it or not, Tara, but you have two personalities. A personality is a way of acting and talking and behaving. One of your personalities is sweet and loving. No one could possibly be more lovable and happy when this personality is in control. It likes to work and looks for ways to make the rest of the family happy.

"But all you have to do is press a little red button, 'ding,' and out comes another personality. It is cranky and noisy and silly. It wants to fight with your brother and disobey your mom. It gets up grouchy in the morning and complains all day."

"Now Tara, I know that you can press the button for the neat personality or you can call up the unpleasant one. Sometimes you need help to make you want to press the right button. That's where I come in. If you keep on pressing the wrong button, like you have been today, then I'm going to make you uncomfortable one way or the other. I'm tired of the cranky character, and I want to see the grumpy one. Can we make a deal?"

When discipline becomes a game, as in a conversation such as this, then you've achieved your purpose without conflict and animosity.

QUESTION: Many of our friends have begun to home-school their children with seemingly positive results. My wife and I are considering this possibility as well, but aren't quite sure. What are your views on this educational option? What would you do in my shoes?

DR. DOBSON: This is a subject on which my mind has changed dramatically over the years. There was a time when I subscribed wholeheartedly to the notion that early formal childhood education was vital to the child's intellectual well-being. That was widely believed in the '60s and '70s. I no longer accept that idea and favor keeping kids with their parents for a longer time.

Dr. Raymond Moore, author of "School Can Wait" and an early leader of the home-schooling movement, had a great influence on me in this regard. The research now validates the wisdom of keeping boys and girls in a protected environment until they have achieved a greater degree of maturity. Not only do they benefit emotionally from that delay, but they typically make better progress academically. That's why home-schooled individuals often gain entrance to the most prestigious universities and colleges in the country. What their parents can teach young children in informal one-on-one interactions surpasses what their little minds can absorb sitting among 25 age mates in a classroom.

You asked what I would do in your shoes? If Shirley and I were raising our children again, we would home-school them at least for the first few years.

QUESTION: Would you speak to the impact of what has been called "the absent father" -- especially during the tougher years of adolescence?

DR. DOBSON: It is stating the obvious, I suppose, to say that fathers are desperately needed at home during the teen years. In their absence, mothers are left to handle disciplinary problems alone.

This is occurring in millions of families headed by single mothers today, and heaven only knows how difficult their task has become. Not only are they doing a job that should have been shouldered by two; they must also deal with behavioral problems that fathers are more ideally suited to handle. It is generally understood that a man's larger size, deeper voice and masculine demeanor make it easier for him to deal with defiance in the younger generation.

Many mothers raise their teen-agers alone and do the job with excellence, but it is a challenging assignment.

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Bancroft Women's Institute

by Eva Page

Six members & five visitors met at the home of Pat Van Tetering on Monday Nov. 8th at 12 noon for our Ethnic Dinner. We enjoyed a variety of dishes.

Before our meeting, Joan Foat our Constituency Convenor gave her report as she had to leave early. We will be getting a new handicraft list soon. Branch Dues are \$10.00 & the Travel Fund \$10.00. Our Executive meeting will be Nov. 12/04 at 1:30 at Daret Birds. After opening ceremonies the minutes were read & adopted.

A card was sent to Catherine & John McNaughton who have moved to Calgary. Catherine has been a member of our branch for many years.

Lila Kurtz showed us a few program books she had brought home from a W.I. member in New Zealand. They are very busy ladies.

We then all went to the Carstairs Lodge & served them cheesecake & had a visit.

Our next meeting is Dec. 6 at 1:30 at June Lores. Each member is reminded to bring 4 dozen cookies & boxes to pack them in.

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Up and Down The Fireman's Ladder

by Tyrone Patten

Since last report we have responded to 10 calls. They were:

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Last time I told you that I would have something from the archives this time, but again I don't, I'm sorry.

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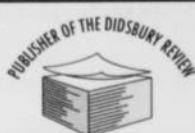
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Sports

Rocky Mountain Lightning got back on the winning track

The Airdrie Rocky Mountain Lightning got back on the winning track in Rural Alberta Midget Hockey League AAA action Friday in Carstairs with a 3-2 victory over the visiting Peace River Royals.

The Lightning got the win the hard way-moving out to a 3-0 lead after 40 minutes of play, then holding on in the third period as the visiting Royals rallied with a pair of goals in the early part of the third.

Evan Zabrick, called up by the Lightning from their AA affiliate team in Airdrie, got the home squad on the board in the first period when he fired a picture-perfect shot from the point into the corner of the net. The defenceman, filling in as the Lightning had several injuries and illnesses, finished off a neat passing sequence from fellow rearguard Harrison Tribble and captain Mike Bannister.

Braiden Burke got the second goal of the game for the home side and the second goal by a defenceman later in the first period to up the count to 2-0. Josh Robertson had the lone assist on the play. Sniper Yuzo Wakatsuki made it 3-0 in the second period when he picked up a loose puck at center, went in alone on the Peace River netminder and slid the puck under the falling goalie. Ryan Miller and Tribble earned assists on the play.

After Peace River made it close early in the third period, goalie Aaron Dell shut the door and picked up the win. The Lightning stopper made 25 saves in the contest.

The two teams met again Saturday night and this time the visiting Royals got the late tying goal they were looking for as the game

ended 3-3.

The Lightning went ahead 1-0 in the first period with Ryan Miller firing a perfect shot into the upper corner of the net to finish off a neat rush deep into the Royals end. Miller's goal came with helpers from Robertson and Carson Rowat. After Peace River knotted the count at 1-1 in the second frame, Justin Frederick fired the puck from a sharp angle and right past the Royals netminder to put the home side ahead again. Adam Yurkowski had the lone assist.

Peace River tied the game at 2-2 early in the third period but Rowat finished off a good rush by putting a rebound past the Royals goalie. Wakatsuki had the initial shot on the 2 on 1 and Tribble got his third point of the weekend with the other assist.

The 3-2 lead by the home side was negated with less than a minute to play and the Royals having an extra attacker on the ice. The Lightning were unable to clear their zone after a last-minute faceoff and the visitors evened the count at 3-3.

A five-minute overtime period solved nothing and left the teams with the tie. Garrett Sheehan manned the pipes for the home team and was busy with 30 saves. In the overtime frame, the Lightning were shorthanded for two minutes and Sheehan made several excellent saves to preserve the tie.

The weekend action leaves the Lightning with a 9-10-3 record, good enough for third place in the south division of the league. The team hits the road this weekend with games against the division rivals Northeast Panthers in Cold Lake and Lloydminster Blazers.

Westglen Wildcats excel at volleyball

by Ashli Carlgren and Dessarae Camps

Westglen girls wrapped up their season by hosting a Volleyball tournament last Thursday night. We entered two teams which placed first

and third. Westglen girls have played an excellent season placing first in the majority of their tournaments. We would like to congratulate the Westglen volleyball players on their excellent season. Way to go and keep fighting Westglen Wildcats.



Westglen Boys Finish Strong

Last week the Westglen boys' volleyball teams ended their successful season. The A Team stormed through local tournaments finishing first at each event they attended. The A team also traveled to Calgary for a tournament consisting of 16 teams. Unexpectedly, the A team finished that tournament in 2nd place!

The B team also had a very good season, winning one tournament and placing very well in their other games.

So if you're disappointed about the season being over,

don't fret about it because Basketball starts up next week!

"A" & "B" Team Roster

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

OBITUARIES

Waller, Christine - Christine Waller, formerly of Calgary passed away at the Didsbury Long Term Care Centre on Sunday, November 14, 2004 at the age of 96 years. Christine will be lovingly remembered by her family; daughter Betty (Gordon) Delorme, 4 grand children and 9 great grandchildren. A Funeral Service was held at St. Giles Presbyterian Church, 1102-23rd Ave. NW, Calgary AB on Saturday, November 20, 2004 at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, a donation in Christine's memory may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

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RYAN - Charles "Chuck" Ryan of Olds passed away in Calgary, Alberta on November 17, 2004 at the age of 78 years. Chuck was born on the family farm at Carstairs on July 20, 1926. On this property he farmed the land from 1941 (15 years old) until his passing. He

was the youngest of nine children born to Barney and Etti Ryan.

Chuck will be remembered by his wife Lois and their sons Allan, Dale (Debby) and their children Vicki and Bradley, daughter-in-law Laurie and her children Kyle and Joel.

He is survived by three sisters Florence Swanberg, Alice Viksi, Jessie Lovegren and many special nephews and nieces. Chuck was predeceased by his parents, two brothers, three sisters and his youngest son Barry.

Chuck, Lois and family moved to Olds from the family farm

in 1960, where he owned the pool hall and operated it until 1976. He always enjoyed a game of cards and many days of hunting and fishing with family and special friends.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to STARS or the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Alberta.

A Memorial Service was held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 23, 2004 from Mountain View Funeral Chapel, 5226-46 Street, Olds. Cremation has taken place.

Arrangements entrusted to MOUNTAIN VIEW FUNERAL CHAPEL, Olds.

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who died on **October 16, 2004**. If you have a claim against this estate, you must file your claim by December 23, 2004 and provide details of your claim with Vernon E. Good, Barrister & Solicitor, Solicitor for the Personal Representatives at Suite 105, Lower Level Victoria Square Mall, 2034-19th Avenue, Box 1027, Didsbury, Alberta T0M 0W0. If you do not file by the date above, the estate property can lawfully be distributed without regard to any claim you may have. 34-2t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS Estate of **Donald Bert Radford**

who died on **October 20, 2004**. If you have a claim against this estate, you must file your claim by December 23, 2004 and provide details of your claim with Vernon E. Good, Barrister & Solicitor, Solicitor for the Personal Representatives at Suite 105, Lower Level Victoria Square Mall, 2034-19th Avenue, Box 1027, Didsbury, Alberta T0M 0W0. If you do not file by the date above, the estate property can lawfully be distributed without regard to any claim you may have. 34-2t

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Royal Canadian Legion, Olds



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The service is open to all who wish to attend without charge; however, we will be accepting non-perishable food items for local area food banks.

Please RSVP at the below numbers so that we may comfortably accommodate all those wishing to attend.
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May you celebrate this Christmas surrounded by the warmth of happy memories and the love of family and friends.



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